## **Notices of Public Information**

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#### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

[M14-263]

1. Title and its heading:
Chapter and its heading:
Article and its heading:

9, Health Services25, Department of Health Services - Emergency Medical Services5, Medical Direction Protocols for Emergency Medical Technicians

# 2. The public information relating to the listed Article:

Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) § 36-2205(A) requires the Department to establish protocols governing "medical treatments, procedures, medications and techniques which may be administered or performed by each class of emergency medical care technician." A.R.S. § 36-2205(B) gives the Arizona Department of Health Services (Department) exempt rulemaking authority to establish these protocols. The Emergency Medical Services Council and the Medical Direction Commission, established by A.R.S. §§ 36-2203 and 36-2203.01, respectively, have reviewed the protocols for medical treatments, procedures, medications, and techniques provided through emergency medical care technicians, which are established in Arizona Administrative Code (A.A.C.) Title 9, Chapter 25, Article 5, and have recommended changes to the protocols. The Department has drafted changes to the rules in 9 A.A.C. 25, Article 5, based on this input and has made other changes formally requested by stakeholders. This Notice of Public Information provides notice that the Department has posted the draft rules at http://www.azdhs.gov/ops/oacr/rules/rulemakings/active/index.php?pg=ems-2014 and is soliciting comments from interested persons.

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## 4. The website where persons may obtain information about the rulemaking:

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